EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH (1948) Department.

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G.O. No. 3038 and 3039, Education.

Dated 2nd December, 1949

[Despatch Abstract.]

PHYSICAL EDUCATION - Bhore Committee's report - Implementation of recommendations - Orders passed.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Abstract:

PHYSICAL EDUCATION - Training Institutions - Reorganization of - Committee constituted.

Education and Public Health Department.

G.O.Ms.No.3038 — Dated 2nd December, 1948.
Read the following:-

From the Director of Public Instruction, No.10076-E4/47, dated 15th December, 1947

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In para 2 of G.O.3039, Education, dated 2-12-1948, the Government accepted the recommendation of the Director of Public Instruction that a committee should be constituted to undergo into the question of how to make physical education a compulsory subject, and an examination subject for elementary and secondary grade training courses and for teachers in training colleges and to formulate definite proposals in this regard. The Government now appoint the following persons to be members of the Committee:-

(1) The Deputy Director of Public Instruction, (Elementary) - CHAIRMAN.
(2) The Chief Inspector of Physical Education - SECRETARY.
(3) The Principal, Teachers' College, Saidapet.
(4) The Principal, Y.M.C.A. College of Physical Education, Saidapet.
(5) Mr. J. Daniel, B.A., L.T., Principal, United Mission Training School, Viruthampet, North Arcot District.
(6) ~~Miss. K.N. Brockway, Principal, St. Christopher's Training College, Vepery.~~ R. Foulger I/c Muslim Training Royapettah.
(7) Miss K.N. Brockway, Principal, St. Christopher's Training College, Vepery.
(8) Mr. R.V. Satyanarayana Raju, Regional Inspector of Physical Education.
(9) Miss C.R. Ranganayaki, Physical Training Instructress, Govt. Hobart Secondary Training School for Muslim Women, Royapettah.
(10) Mr.T.P. Santanakrishna Naidu, Deputy Director of Public Instruction.
(11) Miss C. Alexander, Superintendent, Kindergarten Section, Teachers' College, Saidapet.

2. The non-official members of the Committee will be allowed travelling allowance at the rates admissible to members of II Class committees prescribed in G.O.520, Finance, dated 10-7-1947. The official members will draw travelling and daily allowances at the rates admissible to them according to the M.T.A. Rules. The Travelling Allowance Bills of the non-official members will be counter-signed by the Director of Public Instruction.

3. The attention of the Director of Public Instruction is invited to Memo No.7346-C1/48-2, Edn., dated 3-6-1948 and he is requested to consider and report whether the question of giving training in ~~exit~~ the art of self-defence in schools and colleges in so far as it will affect the syllabus in training institutions may also be referred to the Committee.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

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Secretary to Government

To the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
To the Members of the Committee
To the Accountant General, through Finance.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Abstract

PHYSICAL EDUCATION - Bhore Committee's Report - Implementation of recommendations - Orders passed.

Education and Public Health Department.

G.O.Ms.No.3039 — Dated the 2nd December, 1948. Read the following:-

From the Director of Public Instruction, No.10076-E4/47, dated 15th December, 1947.

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ORDER:

The Bhore Committee has made the following recommendations on the subject of Physical Education:-

(a) that some more physical education colleges be started;

(b) that physical education be included in the syllabus for normal schools and training schools for secondary schools teachers;

(c) that physical educationists be appointed on the staff of all the secondary schools and colleges;

(d) that all teachers of primary and secondary schools be trained in physical education;

(e) that highly qualified physical training instructors be selected and sent overseas for training on up-to-date lines;

(f) that a provincial organization for physical education be set up.

(g) that movements as the Boy Scout, Girl Guide, the Junior Red Cross, etc., should be given encouragement and

(h) that suitable forms of recreation should be organized for the non-student population.

2. The Government have examined these recommendations in consultation with the Director of Public Instruction and pass the following orders on the recommendations:-

Recommendation (a): The Government do not consider that it is necessary to start a new college of Physical Education. The question of the Government exercising a larger measure of control over the Y.M.C.A. or in the alternative of taking it over entirely under them, is being considered separately.

Recommendation (b): The Director of Public Instruction suggests that a Committee should be appointed to go into the whole question of how to make physical education a compulsory subject and an examination subject for elementary and secondary grade training courses and for teachers in training colleges and to formulate definite proposals in this regard. This suggestion is accepted. Orders constituting a Committee will be issued separately.

Recommendation (c): The Government Post-War Five Year Plan already provides for the appointment of a physical training instructor for every 250 pupils and the scheme will be implemented in due course.

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Recommendation (d):- The Government agree with the Director of Public Instruction that the suggestion cannot be adopted. Further with reference to recommendation (b) a prominent place will be given to physical education in the curriculum of training institutions.

Recommendation (e) The Government do not consider it necess to depute any candidate for overseas training in physical education for the present

Recommendation (f): There is already a whole-time Chief Inspector of Physical Education.

Recommendation (g) and (n): The Scout organisations receive sufficent encouragement even now. The local authorities are alive to the need for the provision of recreational facilities to the public at large. They have earmarked areas for use as playing field and provided public parks. The Government do not consider that any particular action is called for with reference to these recommendations.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

TO the Director of Public Instruction, Madras

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Education & Public Health Department

Memorandum No.55167-C1/49-1, Edn., dated 1st September, 1949.

Sub: Physical Education - Training Institutions - Reorganizatic Committee.

Ref: Letter from the Director of Public Instruction, No.918-L3/ dated 13th July, 1949.

The Director of Public Instruction is informed that non-official members of second class committees residing in the City are not eligible for daily or travelling allowance. The question whether the members of the Committee constituted in G.O.No.3038, Education, dated 2-12-1948 should be paid conveyance allowance for attending meetings of the Committee was specifically considered and the Government decided that no such allowance need be given.

Sd. x x x
1-9-1949

To the Director of Public Instruction.

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OFFICE ASSISTANT,
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